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Docket No. 45475-00026

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tae Heon Lee et al.

Serial No. 09/687,048

Filed: October 13, 2000

Examiner: Dilinh P. Nguyen

Group Art Unit: 2814

For: LEADFRAME AND SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE WITH IMPROVED SOLDER JOINT STRENGTH

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2002 which required Applicants to elect between Group I, Claims 1-14, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 666+ and Group II, Claim 15, drawn to a method for making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 123. Applicants hereby elect without traverse to proceed with Group I Claims 1-14 at this time.

Please amend the above-identified application for patent as follows:

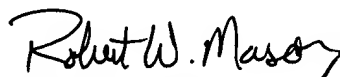
**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please substitute the specification as attached hereto in **EXHIBIT A**. A marked-up version of the substitute specification is attached as **EXHIBIT B** to this Amendment. The substitute specification is submitted herewith under 37 CFR 1.121 and 1.125. No new matter has been added.

Applicants respectfully request the thorough and complete examination of this application and earnestly solicit an early notice of allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

JENKENS & GILCHRIST,  
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A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert W. Mason". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and registration number.

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RESTRICTION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the  
transmitted herewith attachment(s) of the same date and subject which is/are incorporated  
hereunto by reference. The signature below is to be treated as the signature to the  
attachment(s) in absence of a signature thereto.

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application is/are:

- 1) Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- 2) Response to Restriction Requirement with attachments;
- 3) Request to Amend Drawings with attachments; and
- 4) Acknowledgment Postcard.

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Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

X The Fee for entering the attached Amendment is calculated below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE		LARGE ENTITY RATE
TOTAL CLAIMS	_____	_____ (at least 20)	_____ (at least 0)	x9	= <u>OR</u>	x18 = \$ _____
INDEP. CLAIMS	_____	_____ (at least 3)	_____ (at least 0)	x40	= <u>OR</u>	x80 = \$ _____
FIRST PRESENTATION OF <u>PROPER</u> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (leave blank if this is a <u>reissue</u> appln)				+135	= <u>OR</u>	+270 = \$ _____

**FEE FOR CLAIM AMENDMENTS**

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IDS ATTACHED REQUIRES OFFICIAL FEE - ADD \$240 (RULE 1.97(c)) PETITION \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Assignment Recordation Fee (\$40) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

IF TERMINAL DISCLAIMER attached add Rule 20(d) Official Fee \$55 (Small Entity) \$110 (Large Entity) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached:

	Small Entity	Large Entity
One Month	_____ \$ 55	<u>X</u> \$110
Two Months	_____ \$195	_____ \$390
Three Months	_____ \$445	_____ \$890
Four Months	_____ \$695	_____ \$1390
ADDITIONAL FEE FOR EXTENDED RESPONSE		\$110

Applicant has not been notified that the requested extension will not be permitted. The present application is not involved in an interference declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.611.

**TOTAL FEES** \$110.00

A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the TOTAL FEE is attached. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-0447.

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 10-0447 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the TOTAL FEE. This sheet is attached in duplicate.



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**CHARGE STATEMENT:** If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and may be required under 37 CFR 1.16-1.18 (missing or insufficiencies only) now or hereafter relative to this application and for the resulting Official Document under 37 CFR 1.20, OR credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 10-0447, for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

**This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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